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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Attn: Mail Stop AF
Shigeharu TAIRA : Patent Art Unit: 2856
Serial No. 10/501,553 : Examiner: Paul M. West
Filed: July 16, 2004 : **AMENDMENT AFTER**
 : **FINAL REJECTION**
For: METHOD FOR DETERMINING :
REUSABILITY OF REFRIGERANT USING :
EQUIPMENT OR REFRIGERANT LINES :
AND REUSABILITY CHECK TOOL FOR :
REFRIGERANT USING EQUIPMENT OR :
REFRIGERANT LINES :

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the October 6, 2005 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-9 are pending, with claims 1, 8 and 9 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.